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New Boiler for Schmidt Plant—The Astoria Iron Works is manufacturing a new Scotch marine boiler for the Schmidt plant.

Street Improvement Funds—Street improvement assessments to the amount of \$600 were received by City Treasurer Dealy yesterday.

Special Meeting Called—A call for a special meeting has been issued by the school board, to be held Wednesday, December 20, in the Shively school, when the regular school levies will be made.

Books Again Open—The registration books for the city election were opened at the city auditor's office yesterday, and will remain open until December 9, four days before the election.

Warranty Titles Passes—A deed was filed in County Clerk Clinton's office yesterday for Lots Nos. 6 and 7, in Block No. 6, of Taylor's Astoria. The Peninsula Land Company was the grantor and Henry Krum the grantee.

Dogs for Alaska—H. G. Close, a Fairbanks, Alaska, merchant is in the city on a short visit. Before returning to the North, he will secure a number of dogs for freighting on the ice.

Game for Puns—A game of football between the Portland Can Factory team, and the local Owapunpun club, will be played in Astoria next Sunday afternoon. The can factory team claims the amateur Portland championship, and an interesting contest is anticipated.

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CAMPAIGN COMMENT

Old Fashioned Democrat Has a Few Words to Say.

WARNING AND SUGGESTION

References Made to Valuable Data for Voters in General—Morality and Safe Finance, the Issues—One Month for Scrapping—Hints of Moment.

A good, old-fashioned, honest Democrat of this city, yesterday, made the following, unsolicited comment in the presence of a reporter of the Astorian, and it is apt enough, and pertinent enough for wide publicity. Said he: "As a principal of action, I hold that no judge of a court has any right to preside over any public meeting whatever; especially if that meeting is purely a political one; and more especially, when that meeting is politically disposed to a policy of unrestricted license in the matters of gambling and kindred local ills; and more especially still, when that judge is an old Buckner-Palmer Democrat who couldn't abide populists, silverites, socialists, soreheads, nor anything beyond the simon-pure democracy which he advocated. He's out of place when he does it, ethically, politically and personally."

If Messrs. T. F. Laurin and Jens E. Hansen desire to figure on the general election ballots, next month, they must mandamus Judge Anderson before they can do business. And speaking of these gentlemen and their aspirations it is pertinent to suggest that the Non-Partisan aggregation was exceedingly swift to adopt the precedent set by the Republicans of Astoria in this relation, in contemptuous defiance of the opinion of their own infallible attorney, at that, let alone the co-inciding opinions of Judge Taylor and Messrs. Noland and Hamilton. Such lively submission to an opposition policy is tantamount to a down-right confession of the equity of the claim made by the Republicans. And, speaking further in this connection, it has been suggested that the election of T. F. Laurin to that important post of public service, means a "wide open city," in order to afford ampler opportunity for certain diversions for certain people, lately somewhat restricted.

Just as an eye-opener, for campaign purposes, the attention of the Astoria voter in general, is called, respectfully, to the following pregnant items of information contained in the Code and Charter: Code, section 1974; Charter section 23, 19, and pages 106 and 107 and 122, and Acts of Legislature, 1905, chapter 71, section 2. They are worth reading, and familiarity with the texts may save some well-disposed persons from putting their "foot in it."

In good season the Astorian intends to show how the city got beyond her depth of debt, and suggest a remedy. Moral conditions are not the sole ingredient of this political bit of cooking. Public finance has its place and will play its part at the right time.

STRONG PERSONNEL

Fourth Annual Session of Oregon Good Roads Society.

The fourth annual assemblage of the Oregon Good Roads Association is to be held in Portland on Thursday and Friday of next week, November 23rd and 24th. The session should prove of great value and interest since it comprehends the following list of able speakers on the five topics with which it deals: T. M. Gate, president of the Oregon Agricultural College; A. J. Johnson, mayor of Corvallis; B. W. Johnson, president of the Citizen's League; V. E. Watters, county judge, Benton county; John H. Scott, county judge of Marion county; Tom Richardson, the "rush" secretary of all popular movements; A. Bennett, of the Irrigon Irrigationist; Governor G. E. Chamberlain; Lionel R. Webster, county judge of Multnomah county; J. B. Markle, secretary Washington G. R. Association; Dr. James Withycombe, expert, O. A. C., Corvallis; Ike Manning, of the Salem Statesman, (Why?); H. B. Thielsen, secretary, Oregon G. R. Association; C. J. Trenchard, county judge of Clatsop county; W. E. Coman, general freight agent, of Harriman system in Oregon; John H. Albert, president Capital National bank Salem; John Fulton, metallurgist, O. A. C., Corvallis; Tom F. Ryan, county judge, Clackamas county, and G. E. Skelton, civil engineer, O. A. C., Corval-

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lis. All seem to be there but Brer. Hofer, of Salem. But he'll be there, all the same.

FOXY TRAMP TONIGHT.

The habitues of Fisher's Opera House were again pleased thoroughly with the lively and entertaining ability of the Roach Dramatic troupe, last night. A double bill was offered and the house was kept in a storm of genuine fun and merriment for a period of over two hours. The Foxy Tramp will be played tonight by special request. The coupon winners in the gift contest last night were: Willie Holten, seven piece berry set; Willis Bois, pair Bisque statuettes, and Miss Yoder, pair of statuettes of same material. A 40-piece dinner set will be put up tonight.

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The ladies of the Methodist church are busily engaged preparing for their annual sale which will take place December 5.

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CLOSING OUT SALE.

On the fifteenth of November, the entire stock of goods at the Little Book Store, will be put on sale at cost. Christmas bargains in books, stationery novelties, etc. 174 Tenth street. Morning Astorian, 75c per month.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Owing to the volume of our outside business, we have been compelled for some time past to neglect the city real estate, and we now take great pleasure in announcing to our friends that we have procured the services of Dick Davies, the well known and efficient real estate man, to take charge of this branch of our work. We will be pleased to have our patrons and others having property for sale, call and list the same with us, assuring them that it will be given the most prompt and very best attention.

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REWARD.

A reward of twenty-five dollars will be paid for the recovery of the body of the late Capt. J. P. Hansen of the Schr. George C. Perkins, supposed to have been drowned Nov. 4th.

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NOTICE OF CITIZEN'S ASSEMBLY.

All citizens of Astoria without regard to party, who believe in non-partisan politics and that the greatest good can be accomplished by united action in selecting the most suitable candidates for office from all parties without other consideration than the qualifications of the person selected, are respectfully requested to assemble in the Council chambers, in the new city hall on Wednesday the 15th day of November, 1905 at 8 o'clock p. m. to nominate candidates for office at the coming city election to be held in Astoria December 13th, 1905. All matters of interest to the laboring man and business man or in anywise affecting the progress or prosperity of the City of Astoria will be open for consideration and all interested should attend.

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